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Honorable Lewis A. Kaplan
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v. Joseph Garrison,
23 Cr. 597 (LAK)

Dear Judge Kaplan:

I write with the consent of the government to seek a brief extension of today's deadline to file the defense sentencing memorandum in the above-referenced matter because of counsel's need to care for a sick child. I respectfully request that the deadline be extended to Monday, January 22, 2024.

I do not seek any adjournment of the February 1 sentencing date, for which Mr. Garrison and his family have already made arrangements to fly from Wisconsin to New York.

This is my first such request. As noted, the government consents.

Sincerely,

/s/

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